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Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR 1.136(a))

1.		is a petition for an extension of the time for a total period of 4 month(s) to respond to the ce Action mailed on March 20, 2002 for the subject application.
2.	A re	sponse in connection with the matter for which this extension is requested: is filed herewith has been filed
		(complete the following if applicable) response is the filing of a continuation application having an express abandonment conditioned on the granting of a filing date to the continuing application.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING 37 CFR §1.10

I hereby certify that this paper and the documents referred to as enclosed therein are being deposited with the United States Postal Service on the date written below in an envelope as "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" Mailing Label Number ET937376783US addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, Washington, DC 20231.

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3. Calculation of extension fee (37 CFR 1.17(a)-(d)):

	One Month.	Fee in the amount of	\$ 110.00
	Two Months.	Fee in the amount of	\$ 400.00
П	Three Months.	Fee in the amount of	\$ 920.00
$\overline{\boxtimes}$	Four Months.	Fee in the amount of	\$ 1,440.00
Ħ	Five Months.	Fee in the amount of	\$ 1,960.00

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

An extension for months has already been secured and the fee paid therefor of \$0.00 is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.

Extension fee due with this request: \$1,440.00

- 4. Fee Payment
 - Charge fee to Deposit Account No. 01-1300. This is a request to charge for any additional extension and/or fee required or credit for any excess fee paid. A duplicate of this petition is attached.

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